

Application No.: 10/633,672

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REMARKS

Applicants wish to thank Examiner Boykin for indicating allowability of Claim 2-13 over the prior art of record.

Accordingly, Applicants have included the limitations of Claim 2 in Claim 1. New Claims 14-49 have been added. New Claim 14 includes the limitations of Claims 1 and 3. New Claim 26 includes the limitations of Claims 1 and 4. New Claim 38 includes the limitations of Claims 1 and 6. Thus, Claim s1 and 3-49 should be allowable.

The rejection of Claim 1 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph, is obviated by the amendment of Claim 1.

This application presents allowable subject matter, and the Examiner is kindly requested to pass it to issue. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding the claims or otherwise wish to discuss this case, he is kindly invited to contact Applicants' below-signed representative, who would be happy to provide any assistance deemed necessary in speeding this application to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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